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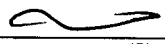
Title: MAMMALIAN GAMETE AND
EMBRYO CULTURE MEDIA
SUPPLEMENT AND METHOD OF
USING SAME

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Enclosed are:

- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages)
- ☒ Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts (Part 2 of Form PTO-1533)
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$652.
 - \$252 for 14 total claims over 20.
 - \$400 for 5 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1492.**

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